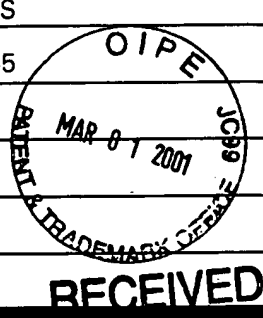


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Form: PTO/SB/17 (Modified)

<b>REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL</b>		Attorney Docket No.	9113-20US	
		Application Number	09/009,455	
		Filing Date	1/20/1998	
		First Named Inventor	Mills	
		Group Art Unit	1754	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	\$445	Examiner Name	Langel	

FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/97)					MAR 6 2001
CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	TC 1700 Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	280 <sup>(1)</sup>	280 <sup>(2)</sup> =	0 <sup>(3)</sup>	X \$18.00 =	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4 <sup>(4)</sup>	4	0 <sup>(6)</sup>	X \$78.00 =	
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>12/1/00</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$400); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,510); 5 months (\$2,060)); 3 Months					890
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110)					+
Total of above Calculations =					\$
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					-445
<b>TOTAL FEES DUE =</b>					<b>\$445</b>
<small>           (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".            (2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".            (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".            (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".         </small>					

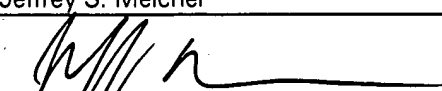
  

METHOD OF PAYMENT
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check enclosed as payment. <input type="checkbox"/> Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No., below.

AUTHORIZATION
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 necessary to maintain pendency of the present application to:
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div>           Deposit Account No.:            Order No.: (Client/Matter)         </div> <div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: 150px;">50-0687</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: 150px;">62-226</div> </div> </div>

<b>SUBMITTED BY: Manelli, Denison &amp; Selter, PLLC,      Customer No.: 20736</b>			
Typed Name	Jeffrey S. Melcher	Reg. No.	35,950
Signature		Date	March 1, 2001